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SUBJ: GOC DISAVOWS NEWSPAPER ATTACK ON AMBASSADOR POPPER

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1. DIRECTORATE OF INFORMATION OF GOC, FOLLOWING EVENTS DESCRIBED IN REFTEL, MADE PUBLIC FOLLOWING STATEMENT (EMBASSY INFORMAL TRANSLATION) CONCERNING THE ATTACK ON AMBASSADOR POPPER BY GOC-OWNED "EL CRONISTA."
2. QTE IN LIGHT OF PUBLICATIONS THAT APPEARED TODAY AND WHICH CONCERN THE AMBASSADOR OF THE UNITED STATES, MR. DAVID POPPER, THE DIRECTORATE OF INFORMATIONS STATES:
3. QTE THAT THE GOVERNMENT GIVES NO VALIDITY TO THE IMPUTATIONS MADE BY THE NORTH AMERICAN MAGAZINE, "THE HERALD OF FREEDOM" PUBLISHED TODAY, DECEMBER 10, 1976, IN THE NEWSPAPER "EL CRONISTA."
4. QTE THAT THE GOVERNMENT DEPLORES THE CONTENT OF THOSE IMPUTATIONS, WHICH DO NOT REFLECT ITS VIEWPOINT; AND
5. QTE THAT, CONSCIOUS OF THE WIDE FREEDOM OF PRESS EXISTING THE COUNTRY, AS SHOWN BY THE CONSTITUTIONAL ACTS RECENTLY PROMULGATED, IT NEVERTHELESS REITERATES TO THE MEDIA OF SOCIAL COMMUNICATIONS AND APPROPRIATENESS OF NOT ECHOING SENSATIONALIST INFORMATION GENERATED ABROAD. END QTE.

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